

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 831

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A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Brock Cooper Garland upon his receipt of the 2018 Youth Leadership Award from Leadership Blount.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we all can be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Brock Cooper Garland, a sixth-generation Blount County native who was recently named the recipient of Leadership Blount's 2018 Youth Leadership Award, an honor most befitting his devoted service to the citizens of Blount County; and

WHEREAS, a sophomore at Alcoa High School, Mr. Garland is an honors and advanced-placement student athlete who plays football and was a member of the 2017 State Championship team; and

WHEREAS, in addition to excelling in the classroom and on the field of play, Brock participates in a number of extracurricular activities, including DECA, serving as president and having earned first place in state competition for Entrepreneurship and Innovation, and student government, serving as a representative; and

WHEREAS, a public servant of the highest order, Brock Garland has improved his community as a juror with Blount County Youth Court, a volunteer at Maryville Farmers Market, a campaign volunteer for a candidate seeking election to the Tennessee House of Representatives, a member of the National Rifle Association, a volunteer with Blount County Special Olympics, and a page for the Tennessee State Senate; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Brock Garland for his dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Brock Cooper Garland upon his receipt of the 2018 Youth Leadership Award from Leadership Blount, extending our best wishes for much continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.